

**4.3.1 PHASE 1: ADMINISTRATIVE BID REQUIREMENTS**

Bidders' must submit all requirements indicated hereunder with the bid documents at the closing date and time of the bid. During this evaluation phase, bidder's responses will be evaluated based on the documents submitted. Bidders who fail to comply with any of administrative requirements **may be disqualified**.

ADMINISTRATIVE DOCUMENTS - NAME OF THE DOCUMENT THAT MUST BE SUBMITTED	
Invitation to Bid – SBD 1	YES – Please complete and sign the supplied form
Declaration of Interest – SBD 4	YES – Please complete and sign the supplied form.
Preference Point Claim Form SBD 6.1	YES – Generally, non-submission will lead to a zero score for B-BBEE.
General Conditions of Contract	NO – Bidders <u>must only familiarise</u> themselves with the content of the document
Special Conditions of Contract	YES - Bidders must sign acknowledgement that they <u>familiarise</u> themselves with the content of the document
Cost components	YES – Please submit the completed cost component breakdown as per example in the Special Conditions of Contract.

4.3.2 PHASE 1: MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS

Bidders' must submit all requirements indicated hereunder with the bid documents at the closing date and time of the bid. During this evaluation phase, bidder's responses will be evaluated based on the documents submitted under mandatory requirements.

Bidders who fail to comply with any of the mandatory and other requirements will be disqualified.

Pricing Schedule	YES – Please complete the price schedule with the bid at the closing date and time. <u>Please take note that lead times (Delivery period) should be completed. Prices must be quoted on the basis of delivered to offices nationally, as indicated on Attachment 1 of Specification 323264/2022. Kindly note that no other pricing schedule will be considered.</u>
Tax Clearance Requirements	YES – The <u>CSD</u> and the <u>tax status pin</u> are the approved method that will be utilized to verify tax compliance.
Central Supplier Database registration	YES – Please submit CSD registration number or CSD report to prove registration.
Authorisation Declaration	YES – Bidders sourcing products from a third party must submit the authorisation declaration letter of the third party. Lead times must be included.
Samples	YES – Only shortlisted bidders will be requested to submit samples.



4.3.3 PHASE 2: TECHNICAL COMPLIANCE

This phase entails the evaluation of bids for technical compliance.

South African National Standards and/or Private Specifications

- a) Items must comply with standards and/or specifications as per South African Police Service **Spec 323264/2022** included in the bid document.
- b) Bidders must enquire at the following institutions for the relevant standards. A list of accredited institutions is available on the SANAS website <http://www.sanas.co.za> or <http://www.sanas.co.za/contact.php>

STANDARDS:

SANS, SABS, ISO AND CKS specifications are available from South African Bureau of Standards Office's countrywide. Obtaining of such standards will be the responsibility of and for the account of the prospective bidder. To purchase standards, obtain quotes or enquire about the availability of e-Standards, please contact Standards Sales at: Email: Postal Address: Private Bag X191, Pretoria, 0001; Physical Address: 1 Dr Lategan Road, Groenkloof, Pretoria. Tel: (012) 428 6883, Fax: (012) 428 6928, E-mail: sales@sabs.co.za Website: www.sabs.co.za and follow the "Search/Buy Standards" link

South African National Accreditation System (SANAS):

The contact details of SANAS are as follows: Postal Address: Private Bag x 23, Sunnyside, Pretoria, 0132; Physical Address: The DTI Campus, 77 Meintjies Street, Sunnyside, Pretoria, 0002, Tel: 012- 394 3760, Fax: 012-3940526.

4.3.4 PHASE 3: SAMPLES SUBMITTED FOR VISUAL SCREENING:

- a) Samples will be requested from shortlisted bidders only for the purpose of visual screening of products offered for compliance to specification **323264/2022** during the evaluation phase.
- b) Shortlisted bidders must submit only one sample for each item offered for physical evaluation, within three (3) days of being requested to do so.
- c) Representative sample should be submitted where different sizes and colour of the same product are called for against different item numbers, only one sample must be submitted but recorded/labelled accordingly to indicate all the item numbers represented.
- d) All samples submitted for visual screening must be a true representation of the product which will be supplied. Samples of all items awarded against this bid will be retained for the duration of the contract period
- e) Unsuccessful bidders who have submitted samples, will be informed to collect such items within **3 months of the commencement of the contract**. Samples not collected within this 3-months from the commencement of the contract will be disposed of at the discretion of the South African Police Service.
- f) Failure to submit the required sample by shortlisted bidders, will invalidate the bid for the item which a sample is not submitted.



- g) Samples will **ONLY** be accepted on the stipulated date and time. No late samples will be accepted.
- h) The venue and date for submission of samples will be communicated to shortlisted bidders.

ii. **Marking and Submission of samples**

The following requirements for the marking and submission of samples are applicable to samples that are submitted for visual screening as well as for samples submitted to testing institutions.

- a) Samples must be placed in suitable containers and be clearly marked with a **hang tag(s)** on the outside with the bid number, item number(s), and the bidder's name. This detail must appear on a label attached to each individual item package. For ease of handling during evaluation process, laminating stickers or loose papers should not be submitted with the sample as the identity of the sample can be misplaced.
- b) All samples, including the labelling requirements, must be a true representation of the product that will be supplied during the contract period.
Once a bid has complied with technical compliance (sample evaluation), it would further be evaluated on phase 4: price and B-BBEE.

4.3.5 PHASE 4: PREFERENCE POINT SYSTEM AND PRICE

i. **Preference points system 80/20**

- a) In terms of regulation 6 of the Preferential Procurement Regulations pertaining to the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, 2000 (Act 5 of 2000), responsive bids will be adjudicated by the South African Police Service on the 80/20-preference point system in terms of which points are awarded to bidders on the basis of:
The bid price (maximum 80 points) – Specific goals (maximum 20 points)
- b) The following formula will be used to calculate the points for price:

$$P_s = 80 \left(1 - \frac{P_t - P_{\min}}{P_{\min}} \right)$$

Where

P_s = Points scored for comparative price of bid under consideration

P_t = Price of tender under consideration; and

P_{\min} = Price of lowest acceptable tender.

- c) A bidder (supplier) may claim a maximum of 20 points for specific goals, if such bidder supplier is;

Persons historically disadvantaged on the basis of race with at least 51% ownership	5 points
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Persons historically disadvantaged on the basis of gender with at least 51% ownership by woman	5 points
Persons with at least 51% ownership who are youth	5 points
Persons historically disadvantaged by unfair discrimination on the basis of disability with at least 51% ownership	5 points

- d) Bidders are required to complete the preference claim form (SBD 6.1).
- e) The points scored by a bidder in respect of the specific goals will be added to the points scored for price.
- f) Only bidders who have completed and signed the declaration part of the preference claim form will be considered for specific goals points.
- g) Failure on the part of the bidder to comply with the paragraphs above will be deemed that specific goal points are not claimed and will therefore be allocated a zero (0).
- h) The South African Police Service may, before a bid is adjudicated or at any time, require a bidder to substantiate claims it has made with regard to preference.
- i) The points scored will be rounded off to the nearest 2 decimals.
- j) In the event that two or more bids have scored equal total points, the contract will be awarded to the bidder scoring the highest number of specific goal points.
- k) However, when functionality is part of the evaluation process and two or more bidders have scored equal points including equal specific goal points, the contract will be awarded to the bidder scoring the highest for functionality.
- l) Should two or more bids be equal in all respects, the award shall be decided by the drawing of lots.
- m) A contract may, on reasonable and justifiable grounds, be awarded to a bid that did not score the highest number of points.

5. VALUE ADDED TAX

All bid prices must be inclusive of 15% Value-Added Tax. In case a bidder's price is not VAT inclusive, total price quoted will be regarded as final.

6. PRICING STRUCTURE AND SCHEDULE

- a) One price is required per item and prices quoted must be furnished on the basis of supply and delivery including Value Added Tax.
- b) The yearly prices MUST be all inclusive. This means, all direct and indirect related costs must be included in the prices and be firm for the period of one year.
- c) The pricing schedule will be accessible from the bid document. All prices must be submitted with the bid document.
- d) Conditional discounts offered will not be used for evaluation purposes.



- e) Pricing provided for term contracts must remain firm for the first year after signing of the contract. Contract price adjustments must be applied for

7. OTHER LEGISLATIVE AND REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS SPECIFIC TO THIS BID

7.1 AUTHORISATION DECLARATION/ LETTER FROM THE MANUFACTURER

Any bidder the actual manufacturer and will be sourcing goods or services from another company must submit an unconditional letter from the company(ies) or supplier(s) confirming supply arrangement(s) in this regard, which has to accompany the bid at the closing date and time of bid. The said company or supplier must:

- confirm that it has familiarised itself with the item description, specifications and bid conditions
- If the bid consist of more than one item, it should be clearly indicated in respect of which item(s) the supportive letter has been issued.
- It must be indicated in the above-mentioned letter that all financial arrangements with regard to payment between the prospective bidder and manufacturer, company or supplier issuing such a letter has been finalized and terms and conditions mutually agreed upon.

Non-compliance with the above-mentioned special conditions would automatically invalidate the bid for such products offered."

The South African Police Service reserves the right to verify any information supplied by the bidder in the Authorisation Declaration and should the information be found to be false or incorrect, the South African Police Service will exercise any of the remedies available to it in the bid documents.

No agreement between the bidder and the third party will be binding on the South African Police Service.

An authorisation declaration with conditional arrangements will not be accepted. Bidders must ensure that all arrangements are agreed to before submitting a bid.

8. RESPONSIVE BIDS

Bidders are required to submit responsive bids by completing all the prices, mandatory response fields and item questionnaires on the provided pricing schedule for the individual items. In this regard bidder's attention is drawn to the response field and price structure explanations and examples supplied in the bid document. Bidders must complete all the official SAPS documentation as issued for completion. Failure may result in disqualification.

Non-compliance with this condition will invalidate the bid for the item(s) concerned.

9. TAX COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

It is a condition of this bid that the tax matters of a successful bidder be in order, or that satisfactory arrangements have been made with South African Revenue Service (SARS) to meet



the bidder's tax obligations. The Tax Compliance status requirements are also applicable to foreign bidders / individuals who wish to submit bids.

It is a requirement that bidders grant a written confirmation when submitting this bid that SARS may on an ongoing basis during the tenure of the contract disclose the bidder's tax compliance status and by submitting this bid such confirmation is deemed to have been granted; Bidders are required to be registered on the Central Supplier Database and the South African Police Service shall verify the bidder's tax compliance status through the Central Supplier Database.

Where Consortia / Joint Ventures / Sub-contractors are involved, each party must be registered on the Central Supplier Database and their tax compliance status will be verified through the Central Supplier Database. The South African Police Service will not award a bid to any bidder whose tax matters are not in order.

10. FORMAT AND SUBMISSION OF BIDS

- a) In order to simplify the evaluation process, Bidders are required to submit their bids hard copy in the following manner: -(Take note of Paragraph 8, Supra)

SECTION	REQUIRED DOCUMENTS
Section 1	Standard bidding documents (SBD 1, SBD 3.1 or 3.2 or 3.3, SBD 4, SBD 6.1, and CSD report
Section 2	Authorisation Declaration and item list
Section 4	Any other information (e.g. Company profile, Local economic development submission etc.)

11. LATE BIDS

Bids received after the closing date and time, at the address indicated in the bid documents, will not be accepted for consideration and where practicable, will be returned unopened to the bidder.

12. COUNTER CONDITIONS

Bidders' attention is drawn to the fact that amendments to any of the Bid Conditions or setting of counter conditions by bidders may result in the invalidation of such bids.

13. FRONTING

The SAPS supports the spirit of broad based black economic empowerment and recognizes that real empowerment can only be achieved through individuals and businesses conducting themselves in accordance with the Constitution and in an honest, fair, equitable, transparent and legally compliant manner. Against this background the South African Police Service condemn any form of fronting.



The South African Police Service, in ensuring that bidders conduct themselves in an honest manner will, as part of the bid evaluation processes, conduct or initiate the necessary enquiries/investigations to determine the accuracy of the representation made in bid documents.

Should any of the fronting indicators as contained in the Guidelines on Complex Structures and Transactions and Fronting, issued by the Department of Trade and Industry, be established during such enquiry / investigation, the onus will be on the bidder / contractor to prove that fronting does not exist.

Failure to do so within a period of 14 days from date of notification may invalidate the bid / contract and may also result in the restriction of the bidder /contractor to conduct business with the public sector for a period not exceeding ten years, in addition to any other remedies the South African Police Service may have against the bidder / contractor concerned.

14. SUPPLIER DUE DILIGENCE

The South African Police Service reserves the right to conduct supplier due diligence prior to award or at any time during the evaluation process. During the due diligence process the information submitted by the bidder will be verified and any misrepresentation thereof will disqualify the bid.

The South African Police Service also reserves a right to conduct supplier due diligence during the contract period. Information submitted by the contractor will be verified and any misrepresentation thereof the South African Police Service reserves a right to institute remedial actions available. Due diligence may include preannounced or no-announce site visits.

15. COMMUNICATION

SAPS: Procurement and Contract Management with permission of the BAC may communicate in writing with bidders where clarity is sought after the closing date of the bid and prior to the award of the contract, or to extend the validity period of the bid, if necessary.

Any communication to any other government official or a person acting in an advisory capacity for the South African Police Service in respect of this bid between the closing date and the award of the bid by the bidder is discouraged.

All communication between the bidder and the SAPS: Procurement Management MGP & Services must be done in writing.

**16. CONTACT DETAILS
GENERAL**

Address

BID & SAMPLE ENQUIRIES



Procurement Management MGP & Services

Address : 117 Cresswell Street, Weavind Park, Pretoria.

Tel: (012) 841 7745

E-mail: Lallaml@saps.gov.za

17. SECTION B

17.1 CONTRACT PERIOD

The contract period shall be for a period of two (2) years.

17.2 RIGHT OF AWARD

The South African Police Service reserves its following rights:-

- To award the bid in part or in full;
- Not to make any award in this bid;
- Award the bid to more than one bidder for the same line item;
- Clarify further technical information from any bidder after the closing date;
- Verify information and documentation of the respective bidder;
- Not to accept any of the bids submitted;
- To withdraw or amend any of the bid conditions by notice in writing to all bidders prior to closing of the bid and post award
- To carry out site inspections, product evaluations or explanatory meetings in order to verify the nature and quality of the services offered by the bidder(s), whether before or after adjudication of the bid
- In the event that an incorrect award has been made to remedy the matter in any manner it may deem fit.
- To award a bid based on which bidder is offering the best value for money, even if such bid is not the lowest price.
- In the event that an incorrect award has been made or an error occurred during evaluation and adjudication phase, the South African Police Service reserves the right to remedy the matter in any manner it may deem fit.

17.3 MULTIPLE AWARD

The South African Police Service reserves the right to award the same item to more than one supplier to address product availability and compatibility. Due diligence will be applied to ensure that pricing is affordable, market related and aligned to end-user requirements.

The following will be taken into consideration when awarding through a multiple award:

- a) Capacity to meet volume demand as per bid requirements
- b) Estimated volume to be supplied
- c) Risk to departments if the item is not available
- d) Source of the finished product, raw material and manufacturing site
- e) Previous performance of the bidder

17.4 NEGOTIATIONS

The South African Police Service reserves the right to negotiate with the bidders prior to award and with the successful bidder(s) post award.



17.5 QUALITY

Where specific specifications and/ or standards are applicable on materials and supplies, the quality of products shall not be less than the requirements of the latest edition of such specifications and/or standards.

17.6 DELIVERY AND QUANTITIES

17.6.1 DELIVERY BASIS

Firm lead times for delivery must be quoted for the duration of the contract period. Transit and storage conditions applicable to the relevant products must be adhered to.

17.6.2 QUANTITIES

Quantities cannot be guaranteed.

18. SECTION C

18.1 ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

18.1.1 CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION

The administration and facilitation of the contract will be the responsibility of SAPS Contract Management and all correspondence in this regard must be directed to the following address:

The Head: Procurement and Contract Management Supply Chain Management

Private bag x 254, Pretoria, 0001,

Contractors must advise the SAPS Contract Management immediately when unforeseeable circumstances will adversely affect the execution of the contract.

Full particulars of such circumstances as well as the period of delay must be furnished to the Section Head Bid Management: Supply Chain Management: SAPS – email: SmitJ3@saps.gov.za and Tel: 012-841 7119

18.1.2 SUPPLIER PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT

Supplier performance management will be the responsibility of end-users of SAPS and where supplier performance disputes cannot be resolved between the contractor and the relevant purchasing institution, SAPS Contract Management must be informed for corrective action.

18.2 ORDERS AND DELIVERY

18.2.1 ORDERS

Contractors should note that the order(s) will be placed as and when required during the contract period and delivery points will be specified by the South African Police Service.

The instructions appearing on the official order form regarding the supply, dispatch and submission of invoices must be strictly adhered to and under no circumstances should the contractor deviate from the orders issued.

The South African Police Service may request that a contractor to submit a sample for approval before mass production related to that order is finalised. The cost of this sample is for the contractor.